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INVENTOR: Leland SHAPIRO

FOR: INHIBITORS OF SERINE PROTEASE ACTIVITY, METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS

FOR TREATMENT OF VIRAL INFECTIONS

Enclosed are:

[X] 59 pages of specification, claims, abstract

[X] Declaration & Power of Attorney

[X] Priority Claimed to US Provisional Application No. 60/123,167 filed March 5, 1999 and US Provisional Application No. 60/137,795 filed June 3, 1999

[] Certified copy of_

[X] 14 sheets of formal drawing

[X] An assignment of the invention to <u>The Trustees of University Technology Corporation</u> and the assignment recordation fee

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[X] 27 pages Sequence Listing and Computer readable form of the Sequence Listing

[X] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

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